

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION**

RYDEX, LTD.,

Plaintiff,

v.

FORD MOTOR CO., ET AL.,

Defendants.

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Civil Action No. 4:11-cv-00122

JOINT MOTION TO DISMISS

Pursuant to Rule 41(a) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Plaintiff Rydex, Ltd. (“Rydex”) and Defendant American Honda Motor Co., Inc. (“Honda”) jointly stipulate as follows:

1. Rydex dismisses with prejudice all claims against American Honda Motor Co., Inc. and further covenants not to sue Honda or any of Honda’s affiliates based on allegations that activities related to the products accused by Rydex in this lawsuit infringe U.S. Patent No. 5,204,819 (“the ‘819 patent”);
2. Defendant American Honda Motor Co., Inc. dismisses without prejudice its counterclaims for invalidity and non-infringement of the ‘819 patent; and
3. Rydex and Honda both agree to pay their own costs, attorneys’ fees, and expenses incurred in connection with this lawsuit.

Rydex and Honda request that the Court enter the stipulation as an order, and dismiss Honda as a party to this lawsuit. A proposed order is attached.

Dated: January 15, 2013

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the foregoing Joint Motion has been filed pursuant to the electronic filing requirements of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas on this 15th day of January, 2013, which provides for service on counsel of record of all parties in accordance with the electronic filing protocols in place.

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